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SUBJECT: U.S.-MALAYSIAN TEXTILE CONSULTATIONS

U.S.-MALAYSIAN TEXTILE CONSULTATIONS CONCLUDED APRIL 29 WITH
INITIALING OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING REGARDING ESTABLISH-
MENT OF SPECIFIC
GHEYK FOR KNIT TOPS OF COTTON AND MAN-
MADE FIBER AND AUTHORIZATION OF INCREASES IN SHIPMENT LEVELS
FOR CATEGORIES 62, 223 AND 224. TEXT OF MEMORANDUM FOLLOWS:

"MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

"AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE AGREEMENT RELATING TO TRADE IN
COTTON, WOOL AND MAN-MADE FIBRE TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS
BETWEEN MALAYSIA AND THE UNITED STATES, REPRESENTATIVE OF
THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND MALAYSIA MET IN
KUALA LUMPUR ON APRIL 28 AND 29, 1976, AND REACHED THE
FOLLOWING UNDERSTANDINGS REGARDING THE ABOVE AGREEMENT:

"(1) THE CONSULTATION LEVELS FOR THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES
SHALL BE ADJUSTED FOR 1976 AS INDICATED-

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MILLIONS OF SQ. YDS.

EQUIVALENT

CATEGORY 629&(EXCLUDING KNIT TOPS) 1.5

LSROVIDED THAT NO MORE THAN 500,000 SQ. YDS. MAY BE USED
FOR PRODUCTS OTHER THAN MUFFLERS AND SHAWLS.

CATEGORY 223 1.5

CATEGORY 224 (EXCLUDING KNIT TOPS) 1.5

"(2) CATEGORIES 41/42/43 AND 62 PART (KNIT TOPS) SHALL
BE MERGED AND MADE SUBJECT TO A SPECIFIC LIMIT OF 2.5
MILLION SQ. YDS. EQUIVALENT.

"(3) CATEGORIES 218, 219 AND 224 PART (KNIT TOPS)
SHALL BE MERGED AND MADE SUBJECT TO THE SPECIFIC LIMITS OF
212,488 DOZENS AND 2.5 MILLION SQ. YDS. EQUIVALENT.

"THE TWMS BSNMENTS WILL INCORPORHE THESE CHANGES AS
NECESSARY INTO THE ABOVE AGREEMENT."

"FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES." /S/

"FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF MALAYSIA". /S/

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